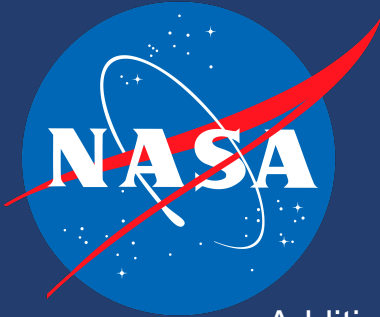


Bridging the Gap Between Microscale Modeling and Additive Manufacturing for TPS



Presenter: Federico Semeraro

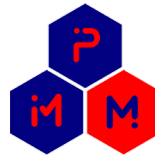
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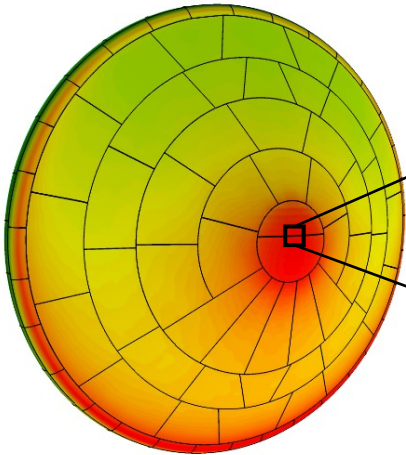
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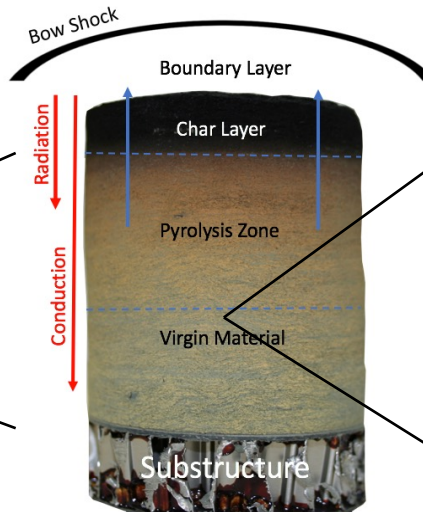
Modeling TPS

Macroscale

Full-scale material response solvers, using homogenized properties



Simulation of surface temperature for MSL heatshield



Microscale

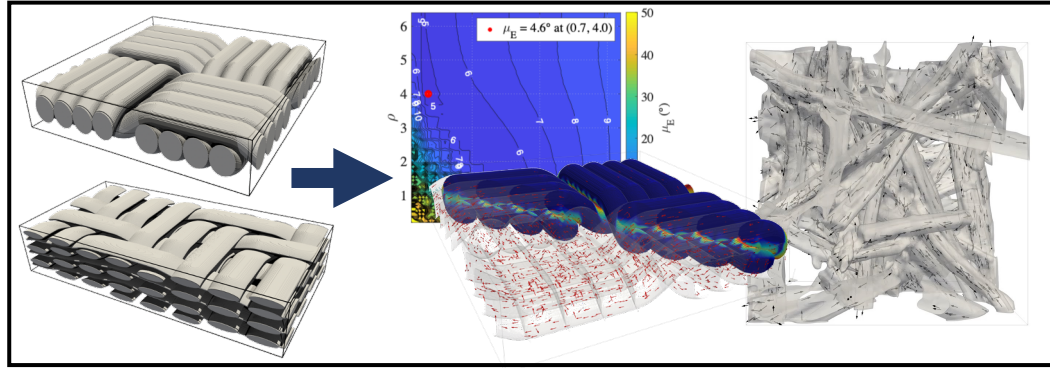
Homogenization of material properties to be used in macroscale models



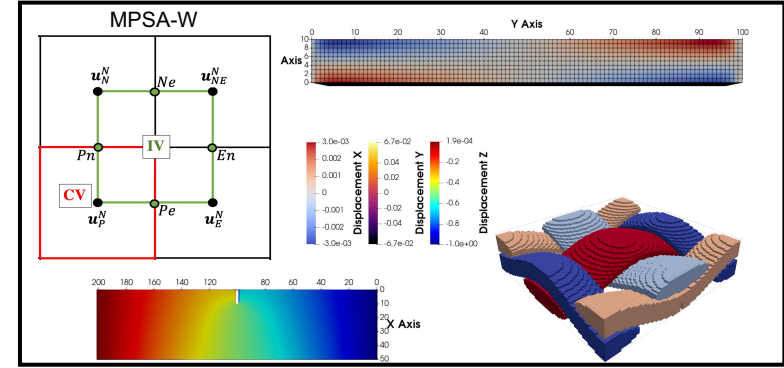


Overview of material properties computation

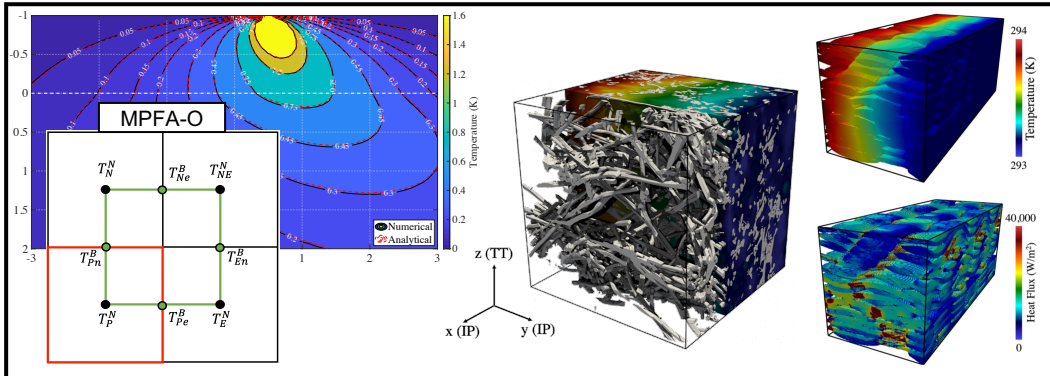
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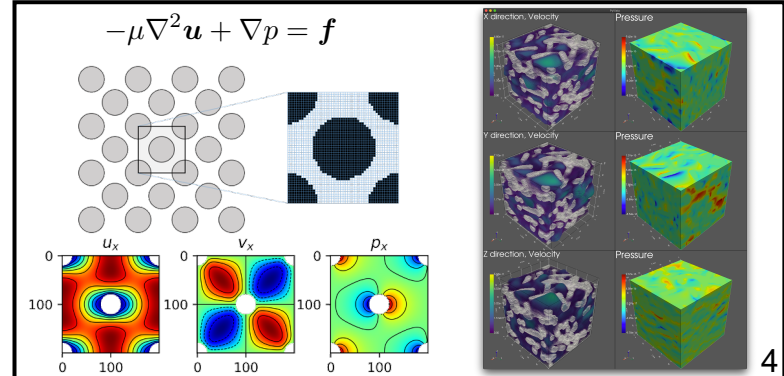
Computation of effective elasticity



Part 2: Computation of effective conductivity. *Computational Materials Science* (2021)



Computation of effective permeability





Porous Microstructure Analysis (PuMA) v3 release



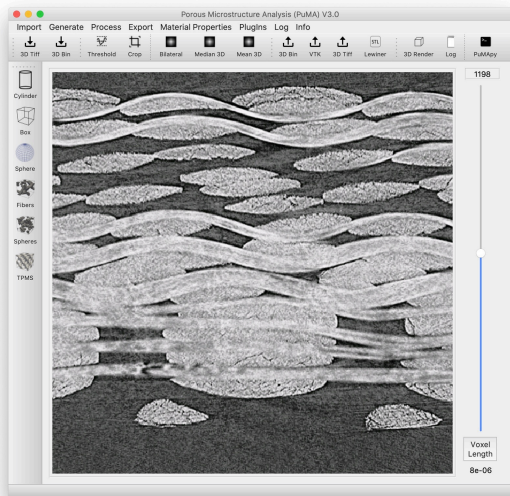
Installation: `conda install -c conda-forge puma`

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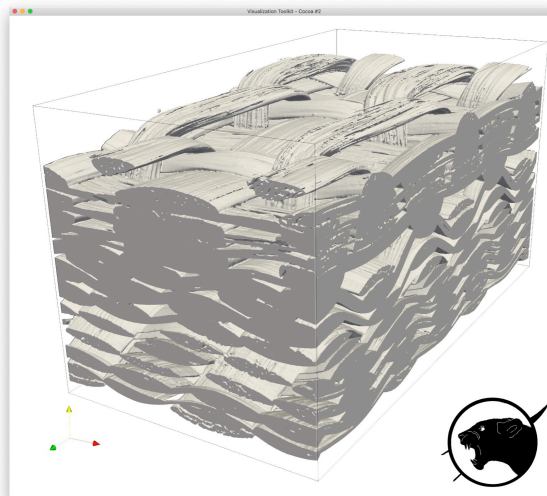
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Video tutorials: [PuMA YouTube channel](#)

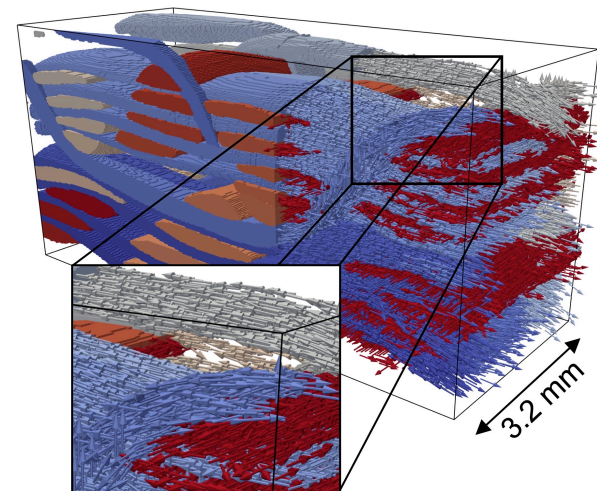
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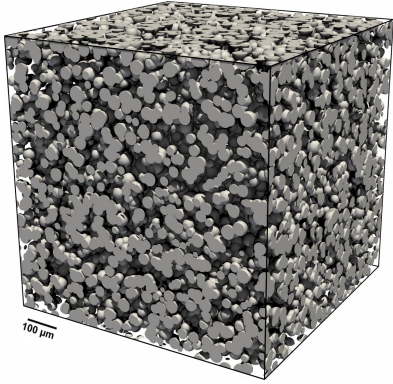
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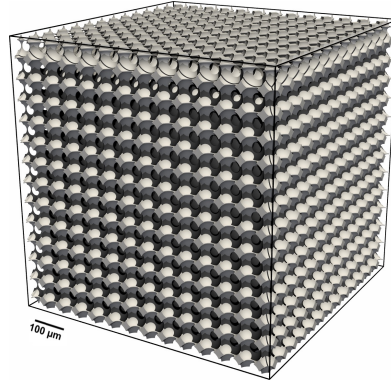


Artificial domain generation

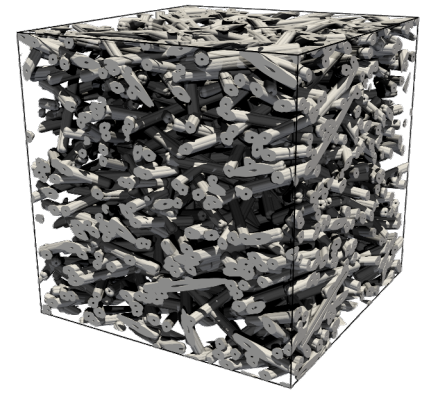
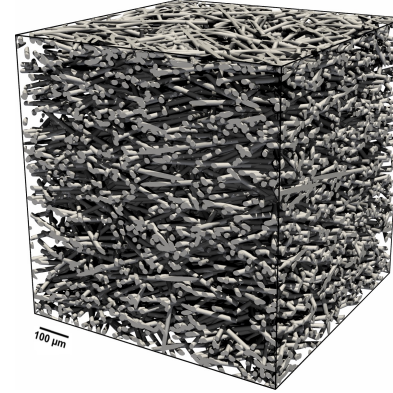
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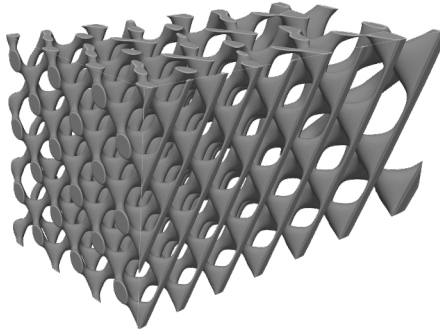
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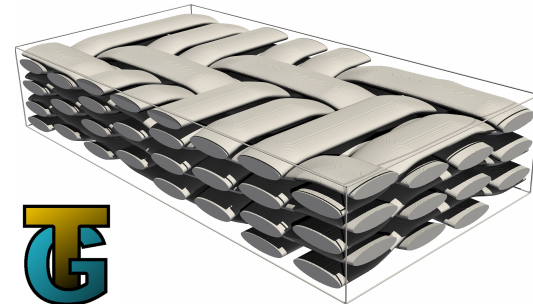
Fiber Structures



Triply Periodic Minimal Surface (TPMS)

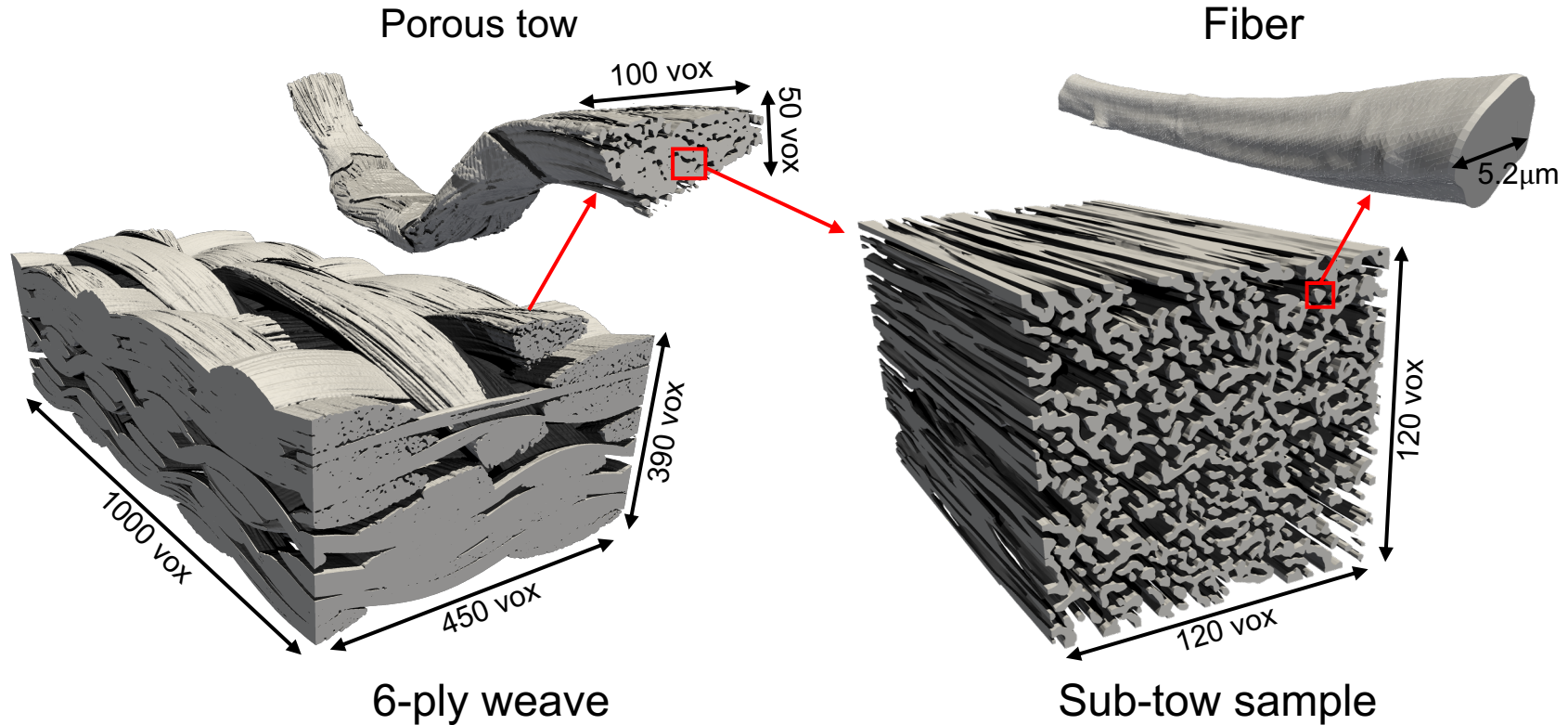


Woven geometries





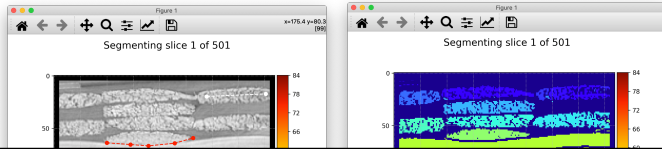
Micro-CT weaves: anisotropic at multiple scales





Weave segmentation and tow tracking

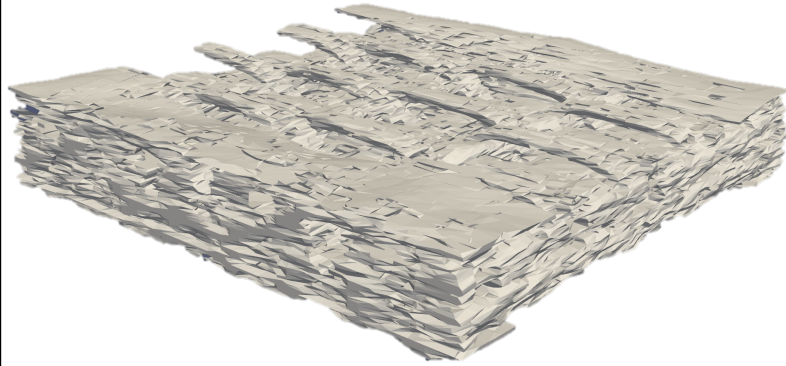
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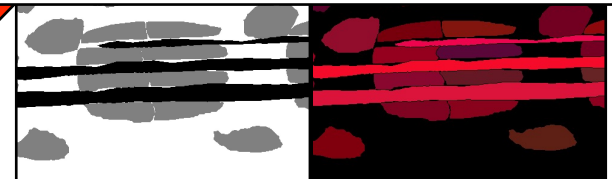
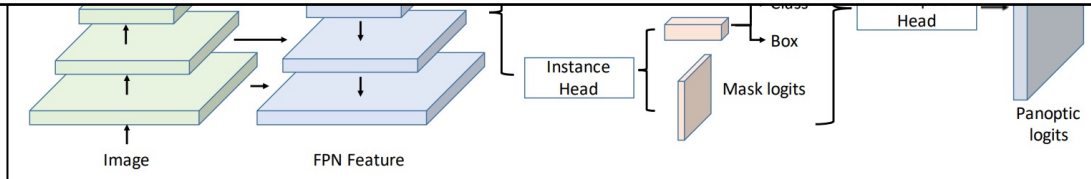
Tracking by IoU



Naïve threshold of original Micro-CT weave

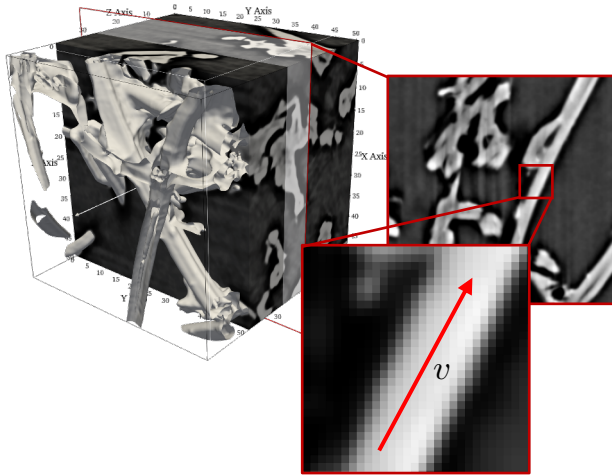


Fully segmented weave



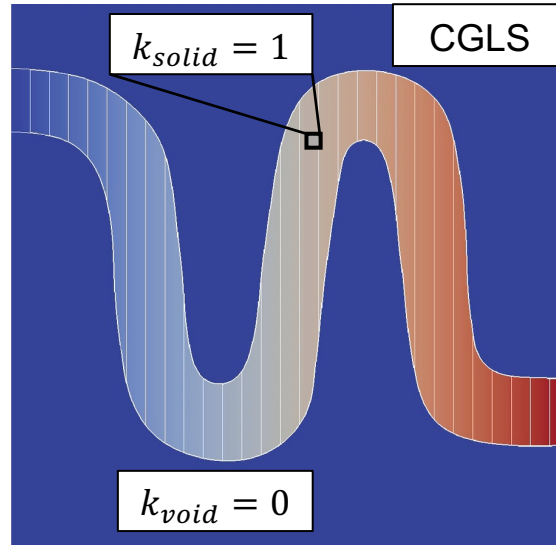
Orientation methods

Structure tensor

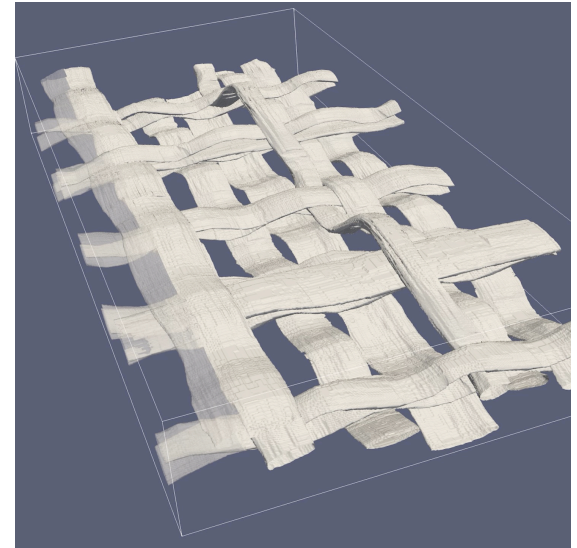


$$(I(x + v) - I(x))^2 \approx 0$$

Artificial flux



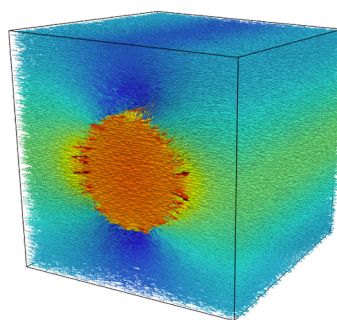
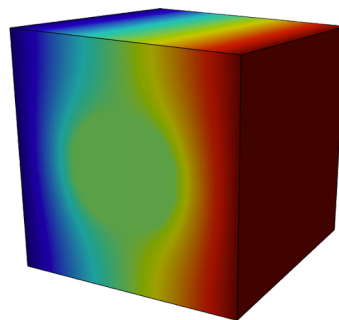
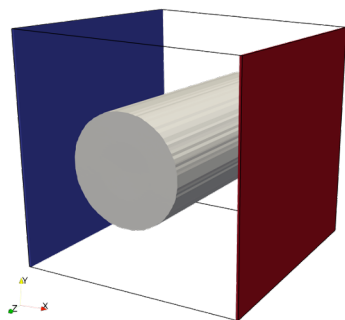
Ray casting



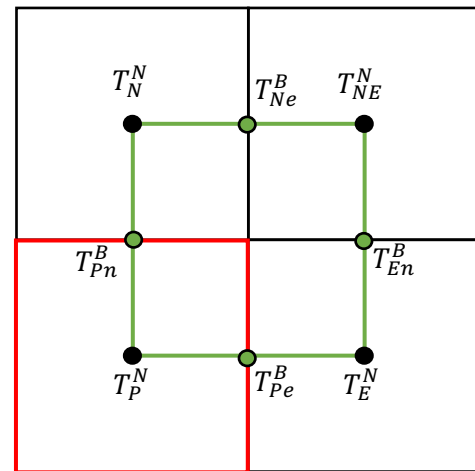


Conductivity solver

$$\nabla \cdot \mathbf{q} = 0 \quad \text{where} \quad \mathbf{q} = -\mathbf{k} \nabla T = - \begin{bmatrix} k^{xx} & k^{xy} & k^{xz} \\ k^{xy} & k^{yy} & k^{yz} \\ k^{xz} & k^{yz} & k^{zz} \end{bmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \partial T / \partial x \\ \partial T / \partial y \\ \partial T / \partial z \end{pmatrix}$$



$$\mathbf{k}^x = -\mathbf{q} \cdot \mathbf{L}_x$$



Unknowns: Continuity of fluxes:

Multi-Point Flux Approximation (MPFA-O)* local system (2D):

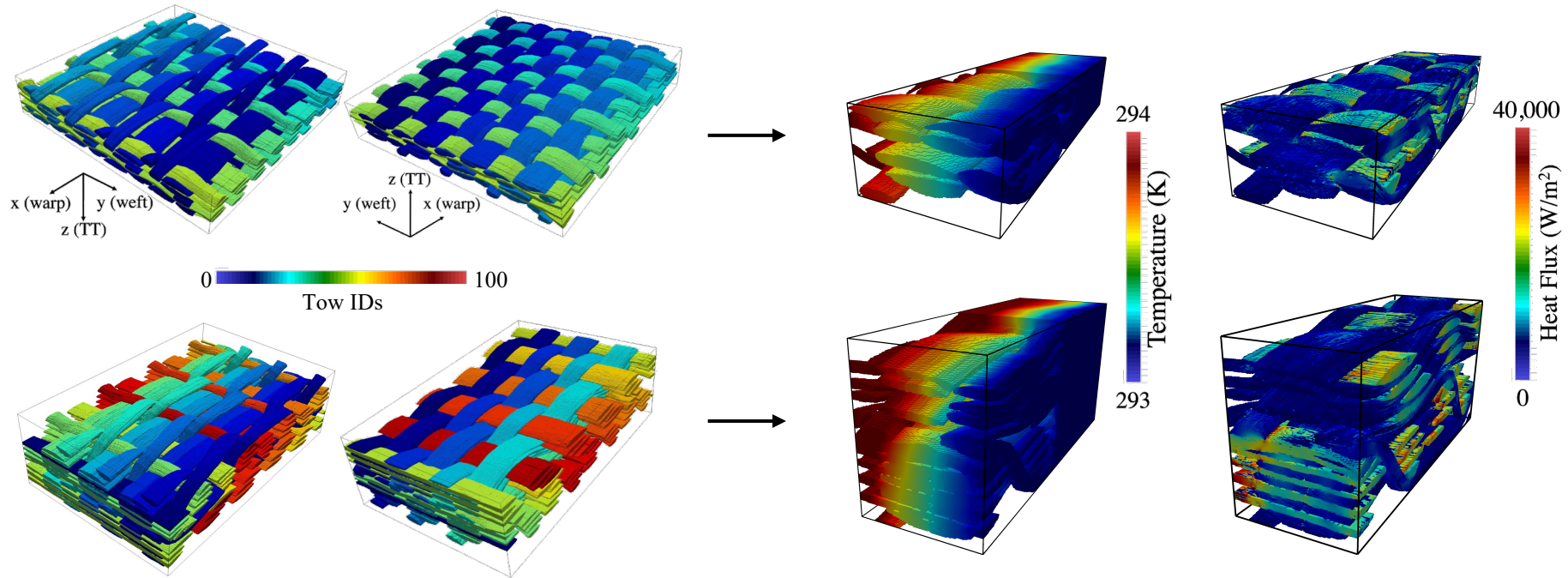
$$\mathbf{q} = \mathbf{E} \mathbf{T}^N$$

$$\boxed{q_P^x} = k_P^{xx} \frac{T_{Pe}^B - T_P^N}{h/2} + k_P^{xy} \frac{T_{Pn}^B - T_P^N}{h/2}$$

$$\mathbf{T}^B = \begin{pmatrix} T_{Pe}^B \\ T_{Ne}^B \\ T_{Pn}^B \\ T_{En}^B \end{pmatrix} \quad \begin{aligned} \boxed{q_P^x} &= q_E^x \\ q_N^x &= q_{Ne}^x \\ q_P^y &= q_N^y \\ q_E^y &= q_{Ne}^y \end{aligned}$$



Conductivity solver validation: ADEPT

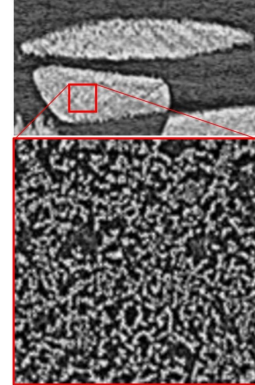
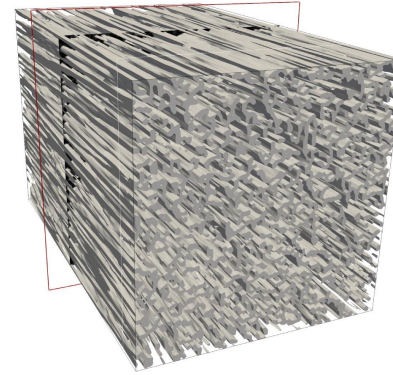
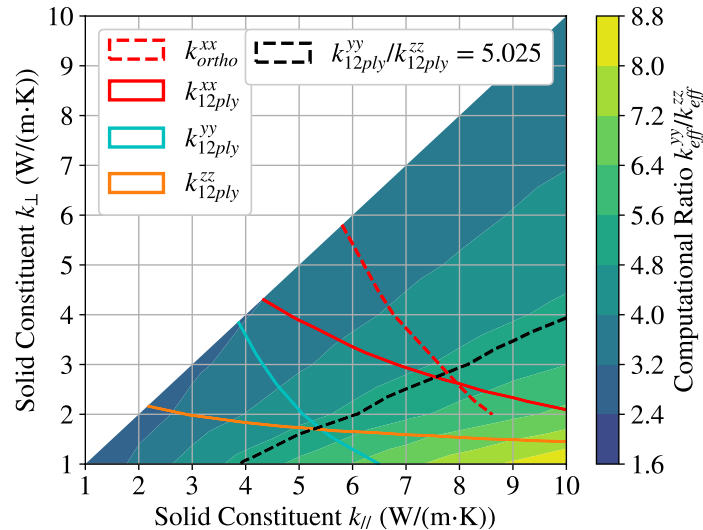


Semeraro, F., Ferguson, J.C., Acin, M., Panerai, F. and Mansour, N.N., 2021. Anisotropic analysis of fibrous and woven materials part 2: Computation of effective conductivity. Computational Materials Science, 186, p.109956.

Single fiber conductivity estimation

Experimental value at room temperature:

$$\mathbf{k}_{exp}^{12ply} = \begin{bmatrix} 2.184 & - & - \\ - & 1.980 & - \\ - & - & 0.394 \end{bmatrix}$$



Single fiber thermal conductivity

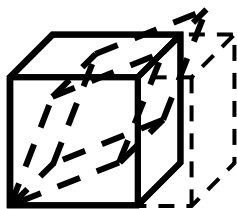
$$[k_{//}, k_{\perp}] = [9.7, 5.5] \frac{\text{W}}{\text{mK}}$$

$$\mathbf{k}_{num}^{12ply} = \begin{bmatrix} 2.310 & -0.414 & 0.000 \\ -0.524 & 2.030 & 0.071 \\ 0.007 & 0.050 & 0.504 \end{bmatrix}$$

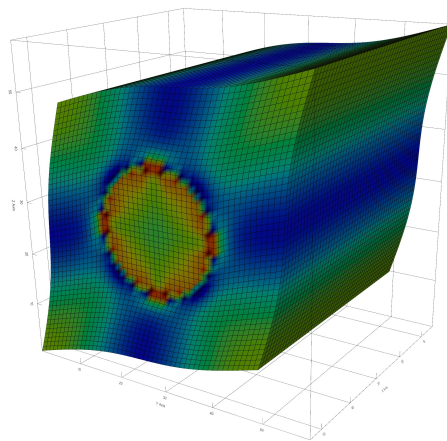


Elasticity solver

$$\nabla \cdot \sigma = 0 \quad \text{where} \quad \sigma = C \varepsilon$$



$$C^4 = \frac{2L_x L_y}{L_x + L_y} \sigma$$



Multi-Point Stress Approximation (MPSA-W)* local system (2D):

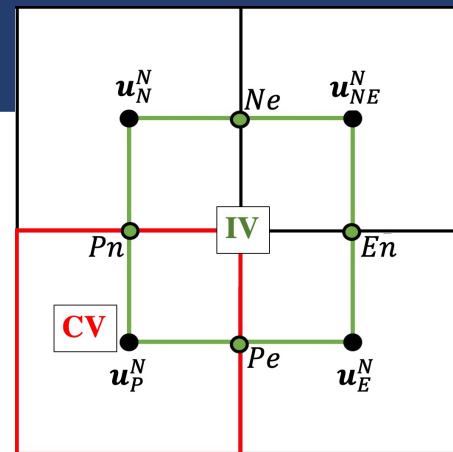
$$\sigma = E u^N$$

$$\boxed{\sigma_P} = C_P G_P - \langle C \tilde{Q} G \rangle_{IV}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} S_G \\ D_G \end{pmatrix} G = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ D_u \end{pmatrix} u^N + \begin{pmatrix} F_N \\ D_d \end{pmatrix}$$

Unknowns:

$$G = \begin{pmatrix} G_P \\ G_E \\ G_N \\ G_{NE} \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow G_P = \begin{pmatrix} u_P^{xx} \\ u_P^{yy} \\ u_P^{xy} \\ u_P^{yx} \\ u_P^x \\ u_P^y \end{pmatrix}$$



Continuity of Stresses and Displacements:

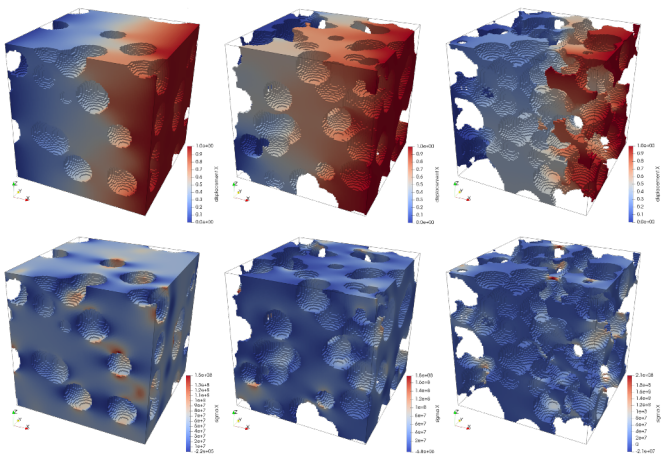
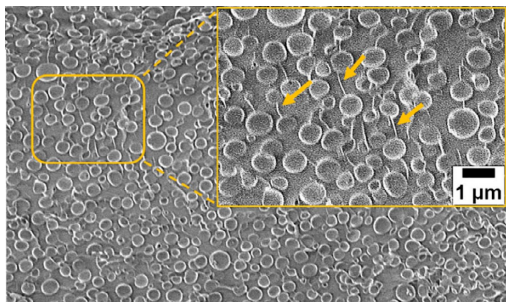
$$\begin{array}{ll} \boxed{\sigma_P^{xx}} = \sigma_E^{xx} & u_P^x + u_P^{xx}/2 = u_E^x - u_E^{xx}/2 \\ \tau_P^{yx} = \tau_E^{yx} & u_P^y + u_P^{yx}/2 = u_E^y - u_E^{yx}/2 \\ \sigma_N^{xx} = \sigma_{NE}^{xx} & u_N^x + u_N^{xx}/2 = u_{NE}^x - u_{NE}^{xx}/2 \\ \tau_N^{yx} = \tau_{NE}^{yx} & u_N^y + u_N^{yx}/2 = u_{NE}^y - u_{NE}^{yx}/2 \\ \sigma_P^y = \sigma_N^{yy} & u_P^x + u_P^{xy}/2 = u_N^x - u_N^{xy}/2 \\ \tau_P^{xy} = \tau_N^{xy} & u_P^y + u_P^{yy}/2 = u_N^y - u_N^{yy}/2 \\ \sigma_E^{yy} = \sigma_{NE}^{yy} & u_E^x + u_E^{xy}/2 = u_{NE}^x - u_{NE}^{xy}/2 \\ \tau_E^{xy} = \tau_{NE}^{xy} & u_E^y + u_E^{yy}/2 = u_{NE}^y - u_{NE}^{yy}/2 \end{array}$$



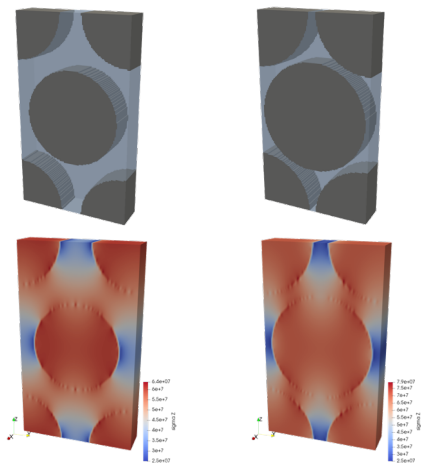
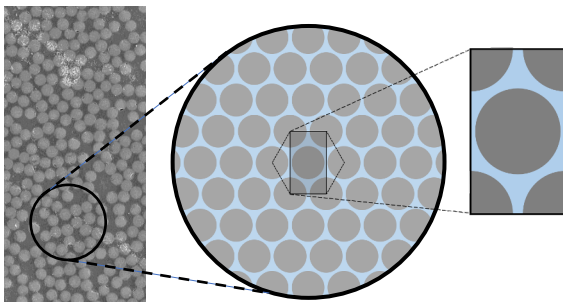
Elasticity solver validation: woven composite

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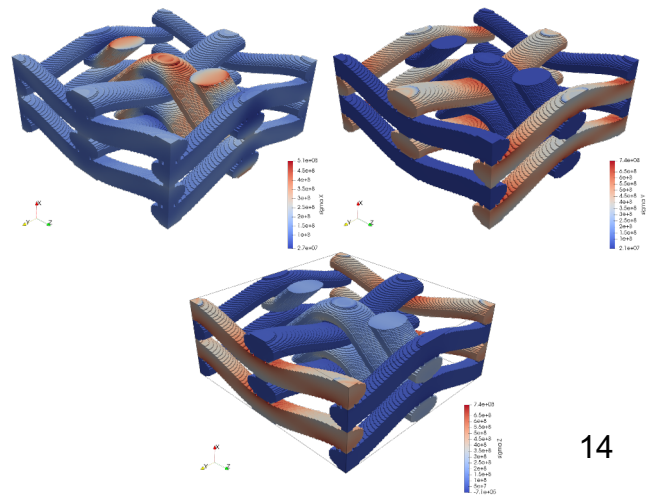
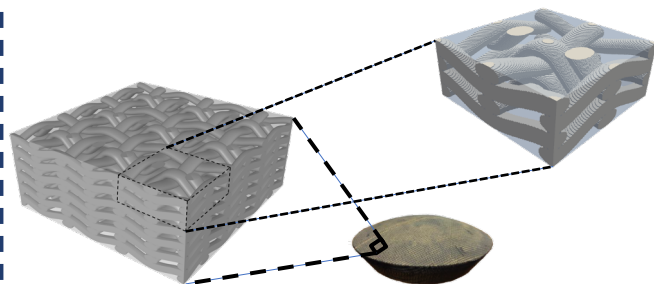
Matrix: porous phenolic resin



Intra-tow fiber packing

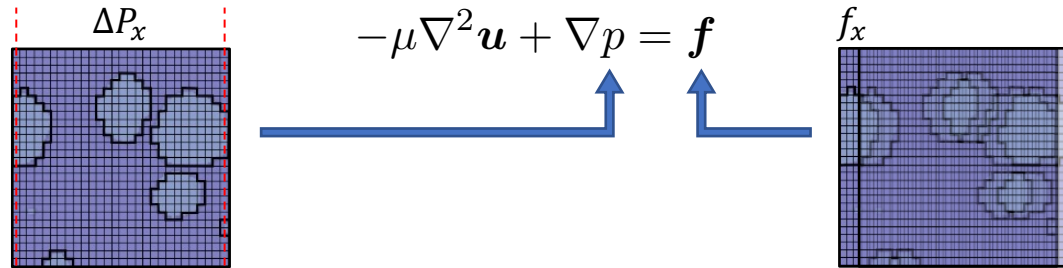


Woven unit cell



Permeability solver

- Governing equation for Stokes flow (valid for slow creeping regimes, $Re \approx 0$):



$$-\mu \nabla^2 \mathbf{u} + \nabla p = \mathbf{f}$$

- Solved with FE scheme with Q1-Q1 discretization in velocity and pressure (plus pressure stabilization term)
- By imposing a unit body force f_i in the three Cartesian directions, we can homogenize the permeability as:

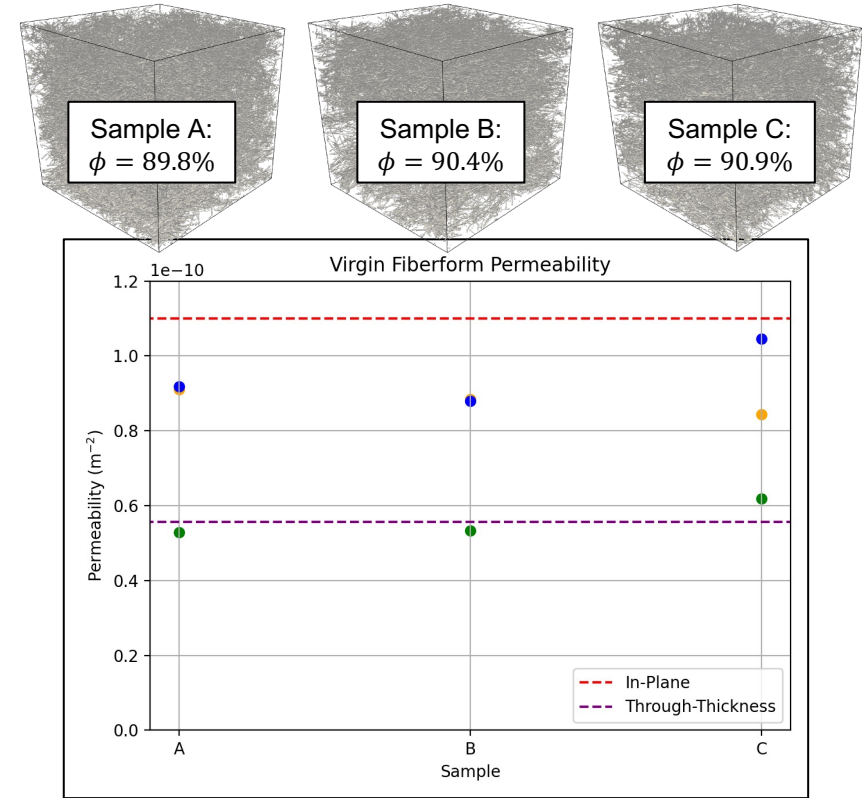
$$\begin{bmatrix} k^{xx} & k^{xy} & k^{xz} \\ k^{xy} & k^{yy} & k^{yz} \\ k^{xz} & k^{yz} & k^{zz} \end{bmatrix} = \frac{l^3}{|V|} \int^V u^i dV$$



Permeability validation: Fiberform

- Three 500³ samples with voxel size = 2.6 μ m
- Run on V100 (32GB) with matrix-free PCG
- Experimental values* obtained from Fiberform samples with porosity $\phi = 87\%$

Sample	A	B	C	Exp*
K_{xx} (m ⁻² e-10)	0.910	0.884	0.845	1.100
K_{yy} (m ⁻² e-10)	0.918	0.879	1.046	1.100
K_{zz} (m ⁻² e-10)	0.529	0.533	0.619	0.557
Porosity ϕ (%)	89.8	90.4	90.9	87.0
Time (') (Avg its)	18.667 (1951)	13.383 (1355)	14.617 (1483)	-
DOFs (e6)	424.4	428.3	432.6	-

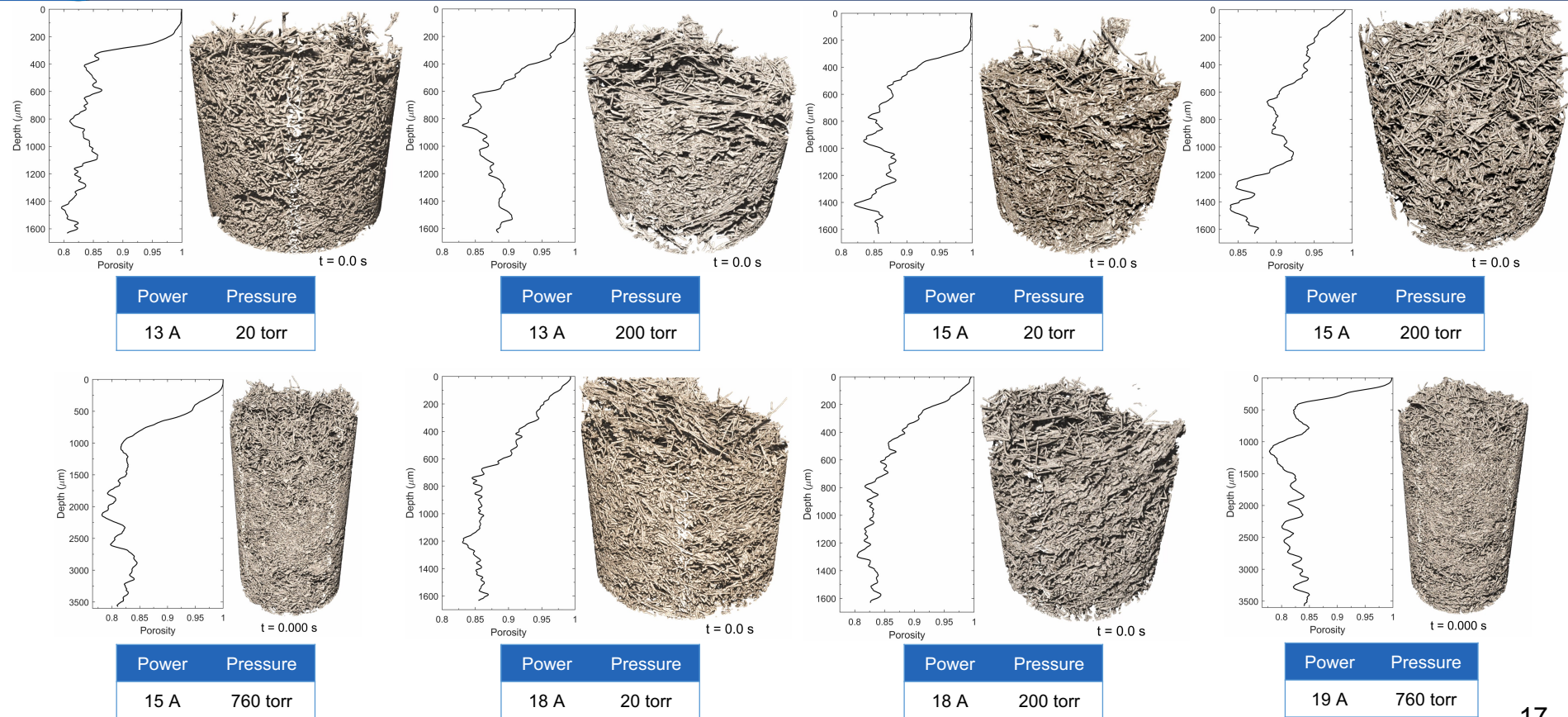


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Time-dependent micro-CT of oxidizing Fiberform





Discussion/questions

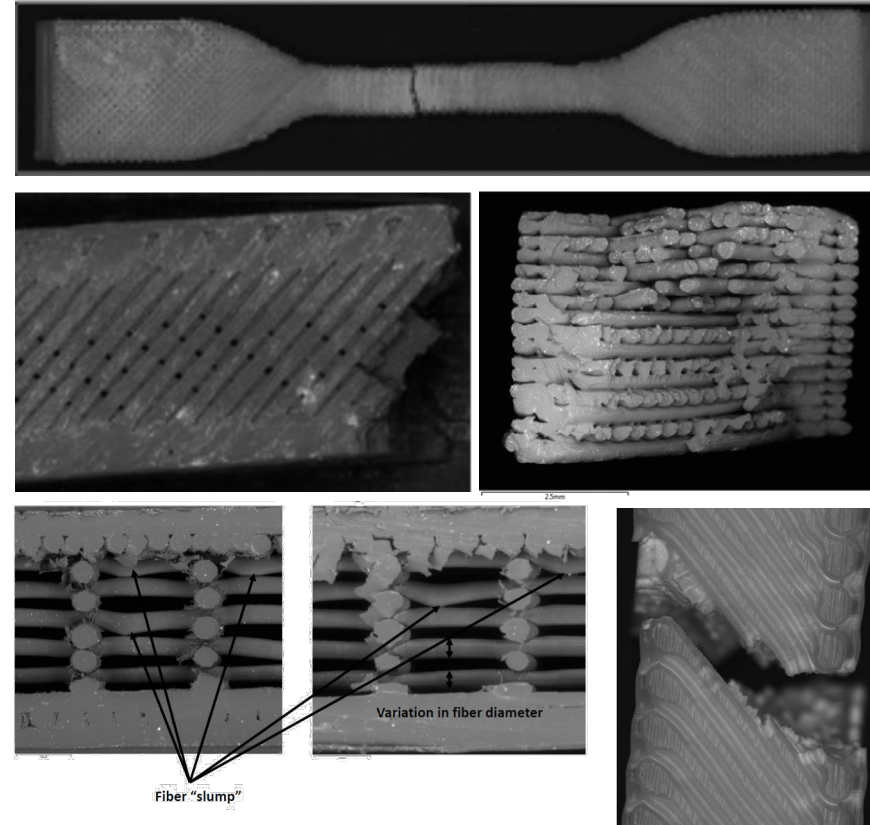
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Potential analysis that PuMA could provide:

- Voids/defects/interfaces identification from micro-CT
- Fiber orientation detection and statistics
- Fiber/void segmentation using ML method
- Effective thermo-mechanical properties
- Sensitivity analysis
- Artificial generation from GCODE commands

Tensile test samples from 3DP mission*



*Prater, T., Bean, Q., Werkheiser, N. and Ledbetter, F., 2016, October. 3D Printing in Zero G Technology Demonstration Mission: Summary of On-Orbit Operations, Material Testing and Future Work. In AIAA Young Professionals Symposium (No. M16-5592).